

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:443
ANSWERED ON:20.02.2003
GAP BETWEEN SUPPLY AND DEMAND
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether 70% villages in the country have been electrified;

(b) if not, the details in this regard;

(c) whether the gap between power supply and demand in various States have increased even after expansion of power supply system; and

(d) if so, the details of gap between power supply and demand during the last three months of current year along with details of changes occurred in the said gap in comparison to previous year, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) & (b) : According to Central Electricity Authority (CEA), there are 5,87,258 inhabited villages (1991 census) in the country. Of these, 5,09,724 villages have been electrified (87%) as on 31.12.2002.

(c) : The energy shortage during April-January, 2003 has been of the order of 9.1% as against 7.4% during the corresponding period last year.

(d) : The details are annexed.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (d) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO 443 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 20.2.2003.

ENERGY SHORTAGE PERCENTAGE(%)

Sl. No.	State	Nov. 2002	Dec. 2002	Jan. 2003	Nov. 2001	Dec. 2001	Jan. 2002
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Northern Region

1	Chandigarh	0.0	1.3	2.2	1.4	0.0	0
2	Delhi	0.1	1.8	6.8	1.0	2.1	5.3
3	Haryana	0.6	9.7	8.2	0.7	2.1	3.1
4	Himachal Pradesh	0.0	0.0	4.0	0.0	1.4	1
5	J&K	3.6	11.4	14.3	5.8	6.1	7.7
6	Punjab	3.6	11.1	3.6	1.6	4.5	5
7	Rajasthan	0.1	8.2	5.1	0.0	0.6	2.5
8	U.P.	20.8	20.5	12.3	6.9	8.5	10.2
9	Uttaranchal	8.4	1.5	2.9	-	-	-
N.R.		7.6	11.7	8.0	3.1	4.5	6.1

Western Region

10	Chhattisgarh	2.7	3.2	3.0	5.4	4.3	2.5
11	Gujarat	9.9	10.4	12.3	13.1	12.9	12.5
12	Madhya Pr.	13.7	19.5	20.1	15.3	16.2	15.2
13	Maharashtra	13.2	15.5	16.0	12.5	12.7	10.8
14	Goa	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
W.R.		11.6	14.0	14.9	12.8	13.0	11.7

Southern Region

15	Andhra Pr.	2.6	2.7	0.7	6.3	6.0	6.2
16	Karnataka	5.7	5.8	4.8	18.0	17.1	17.3
17	Kerala	5.5	5.6	3.6	6.8	6.6	7
18	Tamil Nadu	2.4	2.3	0.5	6.3	6.1	5.9
19	Pondicherry	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-
S.R.		3.5	3.5	1.9	9.2	8.8	8.9

Eastern Region

20	Bihar	10.2	12.2	16.4	5.1	0.6	1.3
21	Jharkhand	0.0	0.7	0.7	-	-	-
22	D.V.C.	0.4	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0
23	Orissa	1.1	1.5	1.4	0.0	0.0	0
24	West Bengal+	0.1	0.7	0.8	0.3	0.8	0.8
	Sikkim						
25	Sikkim	-	-	-	-	-	0
E.R.		1.7	2.5	3.3	1.1	0.4	0.6

North-Eastern Region

26	Arunachal Pr.	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.3	0.0	0
27	Assam	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0
28	Manipur	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
29	Meghalaya	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
30	Mizoram	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
31	Nagaland	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
32	Tripura	0.0	0.0	4.9	0.0	0.0	0
N.E.R		0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.0	0
All India		7.5	9.6	8.6	8.0	8.3	8.2